



October 20, 2000

Ms. Magalie Roman Salas, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW; Room TW-B204F
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Ex Parte Presentation in WT Docket No. 99-87 and WT Docket No. 96-86

Dear Ms. Roman Salas:

On October 19, 2000, Rich Barth and Mary Brooner of Motorola, Inc. met with Tom Sugrue, Gary Michaels and Jeanie Kowalski in an *ex parte* meeting with the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau of the Commission. The topics discussed included the status of the NCC, the progress in addressing interference between public safety systems and CMRS systems at 800 MHz and the Balanced Budget Act of 1997.

In this meeting, Motorola and the staff discussed the status of the each of these matters. In addition, Motorola urged the FCC to adopt the recommendations of the NCC as soon as possible, at least as regards the inter-operability channels for public safety. Consensus was reached on this matter in the NCC through an open, impartial process. Motorola noted that there has been substantial progress in working through the process for resolving interference between public safety systems and CMRS systems at 800 MHz and that the text of a report to the FCC is in the review process by interested parties. Lastly, with regard to the pending Balanced Budget Act of 1997 proceeding, Motorola indicated its support for flexible policies at 800 MHz where they do not undermine the fundamental integrity of the private wireless services.

Please contact me should there be any questions on this matter.

Respectfully Submitted,

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